

Transportation Board, who was introduced by Senator Brown, Susan L. Kurland, of Illinois, to be Assistant Secretary for Aviation and International Affairs, who was introduced by Senator Durbin, and Christopher A. Hart, of Colorado, to be a Member of the National Transportation Safety Board, who was introduced by Senator Udall (CO), all of the Department of Transportation, and Patricia D. Cahill, of Missouri, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, who was introduced by Senator McCaskill, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of John R. Fernandez, of Indiana, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senators Lugar and Bayh, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Samuel D. Hamilton, of Mississippi, to be Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

PAKISTAN'S INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS CRISIS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South and Central Asian Affairs concluded a hearing to examine Pakistan's internally displaced persons (IDP) crisis, after receiving testimony from Eric P. Schwartz, Assistant Secretary of State for Population, Refugees, and Migration; Jon C. Brause, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance, United States Agency for International Development; Wendy J. Chamberlin, Middle East Institute, and Imtiaz Ali, United States Institute of Peace, both of Washington, D.C.

NOMINATION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of Aaron S. Williams, of Virginia, to be Director of the Peace Corps, after the nominee, who was introduced by former Senator Harris L. Wofford, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1261, to repeal title II of the REAL ID Act of 2005 and amend title II of the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to better protect the security, confidentiality, and integrity of personally identifiable information collected by States when issuing driver's licenses and identification documents, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 372, to amend chapter 23 of title 5, United States Code, to clarify the disclosures of information protected from prohibited personnel practices, require a statement in nondisclosure policies, forms, and agreements that such policies, forms, and agreements conform with certain disclosure protections, provide certain authority for the Special Counsel, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 885, to elevate the Inspector General of certain Federal entities to an Inspector General appointed pursuant to section 3 of the Inspector General Act of 1978, with an amendment;

S. 1510, to transfer statutory entitlements to pay and hours of work authorized by the District of Columbia Code for current members of the United States Secret Service Uniformed Division from the District of Columbia Code to the United States Code;

S. 1288, to authorize appropriations for grants to the States participating in the Emergency Management Assistance Compact, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 736, to provide for improvements in the Federal hiring process and for other purposes, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1508, to amend the Improper Payments Information Act of 2002 (31 U.S.C. 3321 note) in order to prevent the loss of billions in taxpayer dollars, with an amendment;

S. 872, to establish a Deputy Secretary of Homeland Security for Management, with an amendment;

S. 806, to provide for the establishment, administration, and funding of Federal Executive Boards, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 748, to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2777 Logan Avenue in San Diego, California, as the "Cesar E. Chavez Post Office";

S. 1211, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 60 School Street, Orchard Park, New York, as the "Jack F. Kemp Post Office Building";

S. 1314, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 630 Northeast Killingsworth Avenue in Portland, Oregon, as the "Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Post Office";

H.R. 774, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 46-02 21st Street in